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Transmitted herewith for filing is the Utility patent application of:

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FOR:	FOAMED RESIN LAMINATE SOUND INSULATION BOARD AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING	

Enclosed are:

- 4 sheets of formal informal drawings.
- Transmittal of Japanese patent application 2002-197254 to claim priority date of July 5, 2002.
- An Executed Declaration.
- A Preliminary Amendment
- An assignment executed by inventor to Kabushiki Kaisha Kobe Seiko Sho.
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